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SPEAKER WITHEM: Thanks, Senator Preister. The question before the body, now, is shall LB 374 be advanced? All of those in favor vote aye. Opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 374.

SPEAKER WITHEM: LB 374 is advanced. Mr. Clerk, do you have any items for the record?

CLERK: Just one, Mr. President. I'm sorry, two. Oh, just one. Senator Suttle would like to print amendments to...Kiel, I'm sorry. Senator Kiel would like to print amendments to LB 23. (See pages 1483-84 of the Legislative Journal.) That's the only item I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: I...quite frequently on afternoons like this I am asked, how soon will we be adjourning, and I'm always somewhat vague on that because the membership ultimately controls, by filing a motion and voting a "yes" or "no" on that motion. So I'm somewhat hesitant. I think a fair goal might be to work until 1:30, if you so desire. I also am aware that days like this, when people anticipate that certain bills will take longer than they did, and senators start seeing their bills popping up and being asked to open on a bill that they may not be ready for, there's somewhat concern on their part. Obviously, if the membership wants to adjourn prior to 1:30, I would not resist that. Also, if members...as your bill comes up and you're called upon, I will be very understanding today. If you ask to have that bill passed over, it will not lose its place on the agenda. With that, Mr. Clerk, next bill.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next bill is 588 by Senator Vrtiska. Senator Vrtiska has been excused for the day.

SPEAKER WITHEM: We'll pass over 588, 588A, and as I've also had a request from the introducer, I believe, on LB 798 to pass over that bill. Mr. Clerk, LB 255.

CLERK: Mr. President, 255 was a bill introduced by Senator Matzke. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 13 of this year, referred to the Transportation Committee, advanced to